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PATENT APPLICATION  
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Title: AUXILIARY INFORMATION GENERATION METHOD,  
AUXILIARY INFORMATION GENERATION APPARATUS, VIDEO DATA  
GENERATION METHOD, VIDEO DATA PLAYBACK METHOD, VIDEO  
DATA PLAYBACK APPARATUS, AND DATA STORAGE MEDIUM

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- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D  
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program listing appendix.- Background of the Invention  
- Brief Summary of the Invention  
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
- Detailed Description  
- Claim(s)  
- Abstract of the Disclosure4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets: 44]5. ☒ Oath or Declaration [Total Pages : 3]  
a.1. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)  
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in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).6. ☐ Application Data Sheet (see 37 CFR 1.76)7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or computer  
program (Appendix)8. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
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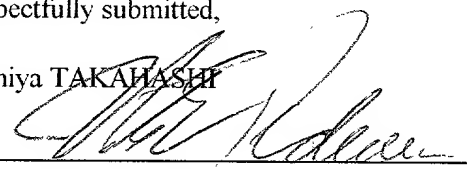
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